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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

En Route to Polk—

Sheriff Henry Crenshaw, of Tillamook county, arrived in this city yesterday on the steamer Sue H. Elmore, from Tillamook City, having in his official custody the infamous murderer, A. J. Hembree, who a few years ago brutally killed his daughter and was found guilty upon trial before Judge Thomas McBride and sentenced to the penitentiary for 15 years, and who was later pardoned out by Governor Chamberlain. He is now under prosecution for the murder of his wife, and the feeling against him in the Tillamook country is so bitter and deep, that a change of venue has been granted him and he will be tried in the circuit court of Polk county and at Dallas, and is now on his way there. Sheriff Crenshaw says that a strong and determined group of Hembree's old neighbors and cordial haters have been assembling at Tillamook City for several days, and it was deemed the wiser policy to smuggle him out before there was any open demonstration; so he was taken on the Elmore at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The sheriff left up for Portland and Dallas on last night's train. The cause will be tried before Judge George H. Burnett.

Johnson-O'Connor—

The marriage of Charles E. Johnson and Miss Elizabeth O'Connor was solemnized at St. Mary's Church yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the Rev. Father John Waters officiating. The wedding was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. Miss Mamie Wilson attended the bride and Mr. Joseph Moore acted as best man. At the conclusion of the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the O'Connor residence on Sixteenth street.

In the Police Court—

Two unfortunates fell by the wayside sometime Tuesday night and had an opportunity to see his honor, Judge Anderson yesterday afternoon. The common, ordinary drunk was informed that a contribution of \$5.00 to

the funds of the city would secure his freedom. The other was charged with being drunk and disorderly and he will be the guest of Acting Chief Oberg for four days as he said he did not have sufficient currency to liquidate his fine of \$10.

For Tillamook Head—

The good people of Seaside are talking of clearing up the trails from there to the lofty summit of Tillamook Head, for the use of their citizens and all Clatsopians who may desire to witness the passing of the great white fleet on its way to Puget Sound later in this month; and the project sounds good, for that elevation would afford a superb view of the sea and ships and any number of thousands who might gather there.

Mrs Helen Johnson Dead—

Mrs. Helen Johnson the wife of Anton Johnson died at 2:20 yesterday afternoon at the family residence 248 Alameda street after a lingering illness of Tuberculosis. Mrs. Johnson was aged 55 years and 8 months. She leaves besides her husband three children—two daughters and one son. The arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

Out on Bail—

John A. Ekstrom, of Svensen, charged with assault and battery on one Fred Hartman, and brought to this city for examination was released on \$20 bail yesterday by Justice Goodman, for his appearance later.

Card Party Tonight—

The ladies of the G. A. R. Will give one of their delightful card parties at Carnahan's hall this evening and all members and friends are cordially invited to be present.

W. C. T. U. Today—

There will be business of importance to transact at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. today, so let every member be present at their rooms at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon

Funeral of Mrs. Miller—

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Miller who died at Portland, May 5, will be held at the Lewis & Clark Cemetery at 2 o'clock this afternoon. All friends are invited to attend.

Short Eastern Trip—

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Welch will leave this morning for Eastern Oregon on a business trip of a couple of weeks or so and will return about the 25th of the month.

Skaters!

The rink will be open Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday nights. Every day at 2 p. m. 5-7-2t.



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Scene from "Dora Thorne" at the Astoria Theatre Sunday Evening, May 10.

WATCHMAN MISSING FROM POST

GUS. VICTOR SANDRY, NIGHT WATCHMAN ON THE SANBORN COAL DOCK CANNOT BE FOUND AND FEAR IS FELT FOR HIS SAFETY.

Gus Victor Sandry, the well known watchman on the coal dock of G. W. Sanborn & Company, at the foot of Ninth street, is missing from his post, and has not been seen by friend or neighbor since 8:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, when, with a friend or two he took a few drinks at the Skamokawa bar in the Parker House.

Some of his friends, deeming him to be ill, yesterday noon broken open the door of his bedroom in the east end of the coal warehouse, and found his bed in some disorder, but his pillow undisturbed, the outside door of the storeroom which adjoins his private quarters at the easterly end of the dock, being closed but not locked, a circumstance contrary to his well known rule. Search has been made for him all through the neighborhood of the dock, and in his haunts further away, but no sign nor report can be had of him; and it is beginning to bear in on his friends that he has made a mis-step on the dock and gone into the river at night, though of course the best hope is entertained that he has escaped such a fate.

Mr. Sandry is a man of family, though divorced, and has two children, and he is about 46 years of age. He was not drinking deeply on Tuesday night when last seen, but was feeling his liquor, and it may be that he indulged to a point that made it necessary for some friend to take him home and care for him. The search will be prosecuted without let up until some trace of the man is found.

WILLIAM B. ALLEN'S HEART FAILS

BROTHER OF B. F. ALLEN CAME HERE ON A VISIT A WEEK AGO LAST TUESDAY. DIED AT THE TABLE.

William B. Allen, the oldest brother of B. F. Allen, dropped dead at the dinner table yesterday evening at the Stevenson house. Mr. B. F. Allen was sitting next to him and before the meal was served he noticed his brother lean partially out of the chair and his head dropped down on his breast. Willing hands tenderly laid the stricken man on a couch and hastily summoned a physician, but his services were not needed as Mr. Allen was beyond all earthly help.

Mr. Allen was born in New York State nearly 78 years ago and was until a few months ago superintendent of the Oliver Chilled Plow Works at South Bend, Indiana. He retired about Christmas time and was taking his first vacation. He had often expressed a wish to see the western country and when his brother was back East last fall he was more anxious than ever to come. He arrived just eight days ago.

Mr. Allen was an honorary member of No. 6 fire company of Chicago, and had "run with the machine" in

PRECINCTS BARRED

County Court Permits Withdrawal of Six Names

FROM LOCAL OPTION PAPERS

And This Disqualifies Petitions as to Precincts Nos. 2 and 3 in Astoria—Other Orders Made—Seaside Also Tabooed.

"It appears by the certificate of the clerk that there are sufficient names attached to the petition, but six certain citizens have notified this court, in writing, that they have withdrawn their names from said petition, giving reasons therefore, and this court, at this time, claiming the right to do so before action is taken, finds therefore, that said petition does not contain sufficient names to submit said petition to the voters of said precinct."

This was the text and terms of two orders made by the County Court yesterday afternoon, in the matter of the petitions heretofore filed by the respective citizens of Precincts Nos. 2 and 3, of the City of Astoria, praying for a local option liquor election in said precincts; and means of course that the court, for the reasons stated, refuses to order the elections in that behalf in those electoral subdivisions.

A similar order was made in the matter of the Seaside petition, except that it appeared to the court that the original petitions as filed from there, did not contain the requisite number of signatures.

Orders were also made ordering a local option liquor election in Astoria precincts Nos. 1, 6 and 7, and also in the Olney precinct of the county. And thus the local option matters of the city and county stand in their present legal phases.

The court convened at 9 o'clock yesterday morning and, as usual, disposed of the current bills and claims for the month preceding, ordering warrants to issue in due course for all approved accounts.

The afternoon was devoted mostly to county road matters. On road No. 100 an order was made employing Fred Paraneimi by day's work, to make the necessary repairs on that line. On road No. 53, the contract for travelling the three several portions thereof required, was let to Olof Olsen upon a bid filed by him and accepted by the court.

In the matter of the county road prayed for by Sam Karrell and others, the same was granted by the court, and the following viewers were appointed in this behalf, J. F. Bartoldus, George Stevens and R. M. Woodin; a bond in the sum of \$200 was required, and the 25th of May was designated as the time for meeting at Olney to perfect the work.

W. E. Davis was granted a privilege to cross the county road for logging purposes; and the petition for decision of a certain piece of road near Seaside, and the road was ordered to be duly opened.

Court then adjourned until today.

PERSONAL MENTION

R. Barr, and Oscar Olson, of Gray's River, were in the city yesterday on matters of business and pleasure.

John West, the well known merchant of Westport, was doing business in this city yesterday.

the days of "hand tubs." He was connected with the company for 60 years. He was also a member of the masonic fraternity.

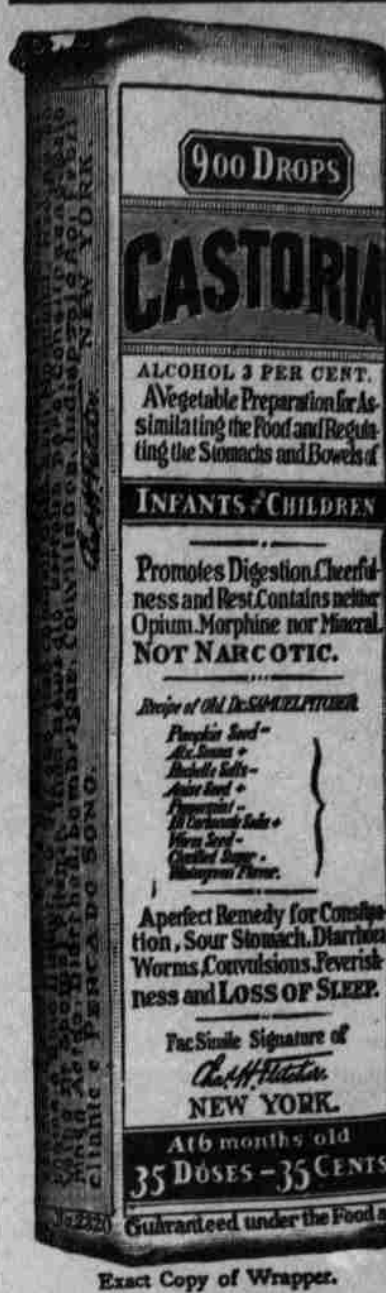
Within a year he has lost his wife and two daughters and has one son who is a traveling salesman for the old reliable paint house of Heath & Milligan Co., of Chicago.

The cause of death was valvular heart trouble. No arrangements have been made for the funeral and it is not improbable that the remains will be shipped to his old home at South Bend.

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